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# PRICE LIST PEONIES AND IRISES

## SUNNY ACRES NURSERY

Growers of Fine Peonies, Irises  
Gladioli and Perennials

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**ROBBINSDALE, MINN.**

Nursery located four miles Northwest of Minneapolis  
on Jefferson Highway. Visitors Welcome

### Introduction

In presenting this price list for the fall of 1927 and spring of 1928, we are pleased to call your attention to the many reductions in prices of peonies. It is now possible to secure a splendid collection of modern peonies at a nominal cost. These reductions are due to the fact that there are available stocks on hand at present to warrant these reductions which we are pleased to pass on to our customers.

We are not issuing a descriptive catalog this season, as there are no changes in the descriptions we wish to make at this time. This price list supercedes all previous quotations and will be effective during the balance of 1927 and the spring of 1928.

The growing of peonies is a hobby with us and we have a splendid collection to choose from. We are growing many varieties not included in our present list and should you desire any variety not shown in our price list, write us for prices as we can doubtless furnish it.

Cultural directions will be found in our descriptive catalog and if you do not have a copy, we will be glad to supply you with one upon request. Briefly, any good garden soil will be found sufficient to raise good peonies. Keep the soil loose about the plant and occasional watering will be found beneficial. When planting see that the eyes are placed at least two inches below the surface of the ground. Shallow planting will be even better than too deep planting which often results in failure to bloom. Care after blooming period will insure a good crop of flowers the following spring.

Give us an opportunity to serve you and we will assure satisfaction. Most of the plants we send out will be undivided plants grown one year from division.

We want to take this opportunity to thank all our customers for their patronage in the past and solicit their continued orders which will have our personal and careful attention.

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# IMPORTANT

Order early while stocks are unbroken to avoid disappointment. We have splendid stocks of many of the very finest peonies, such as Therese, Tourangelle, Walter Faxon and others. We will make no substitutions without permission.

Peonies and Iris, unless otherwise instructed, will be sent by express at purchaser's expense. On small orders, add postage for parcel post delivery. Any excess postage will be returned.

Remittances must accompany orders unless satisfactory credit has been previously established. Post office money order, check or bank draft made payable to Sunny Acres Nursery is preferred. Stamps will be accepted for small amounts.

**Discounts:** On orders up to \$10.00, a discount of 5% will be allowed; on orders from \$10.00 to \$30.00, a discount of 8% and on orders from \$30.00 up, a discount of 10% may be deducted from the prices herein quoted. This applies only when cash accompanies the order.

We guarantee all stock we send out to be true to name. We will gladly rectify any errors should they occur.

**Caution:** To avoid delay and confusion, check your order over carefully before mailing to make sure your name and address is plainly written. If express office is located at a different point from mailing address, so indicate.

**Location:** Our nursery is located on the Jefferson Highway, four miles north of the City of Minneapolis. We are on the direct route to the many beautiful lakes so abundant in northern Minnesota which have proven a hunter's and camper's paradise. We will appreciate and welcome a call from you at any time during the week.

## PEONIES

During the early fall months is the proper time to plant peonies. We prefer the latter part of September and early October for our planting. Planting may be completed any time before the ground freezes. See page two for liberal discounts on the following prices.

Figures at the left represent percentage rating of the variety as established by the American Peony Society.

	Each
8.5 Adolphe Rosseau (Dessert and Mechin)	
Dark red. . . . .	\$1.50
8.8 Addelanchaea (Brand) Creamy white	10.00
8.6 Albert Crousse (Crousse) Shell pink	1.00
8.8 Alsace Lorraine (Lemoine) Late white	3.00
9.0 A. M. Slocum (Franklin) White	7.50
8.1 Asa Gray (Crousse) Delicate flecked pink	1.50

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	Each
7.8 Augustin d'Hour (Calot) Solferino red	1.00
8.7 Avalanche (Crousse) Ivory white	1.00
8.8 Ball O' Cotton (Franklin) Pure white	7.50
9.0 Baroness Schroeder (Kelway) Fine white	1.50
8.7 Ben Franklin (Brand) Deep, dark red	1.00
7.0 Berlioz (Crousse) Bright carmine rose	1.00
7.6 Bunker Hill (Hollis) Bright tyrian rose	4.00
8.2 Brand's Magnificent (Brand) Dark red	4.00
7.8 Carnea Elegans (Calot) Lilac white, flecked	1.00
8.6 Cherry Hill (Thurlow) Deep garnet	5.00
8.4 Chestine Gowdy (Brand) Shell pink	1.50
8.7 Claire Dubois (Crousse) Satiny pink	1.00
8.1 Couronne d'Or (Calot) White	1.00
Crystal Lake (Franklin) Dark rose	2.00
8.1 Duchesse de Nemours (Calot) Sulphur white	1.00
7.6 Edulis Superba (Lemoine) Deep rose pink	.75
8.5 E. W. Becker (Franklin) White, shaded flesh	3.00
9.2 E. B. Browning (Brand) Fine white	5.00
8.7 Elwood Pleas (Pleas) Delicate pink	3.00
8.9 Enchantresse (Lemoine) Creamy white)	5.00
8.3 Eugene Bigot (Dessert) Brilliant red	1.00
8.0 Etta (Terry) Deep shell pink	1.50
8.3 Eugene Verdier (Calot) Pale hydrangea pink	2.00
8.6 Eugenie Verdier (Calot) Deep shell pink	1.00
8.4 Felix Crousse (Crousse) Deep brilliant red	1.00
9.3 Festiva Maxima (Meillez) Fine large white	1.00
9.2 Florence McBeth (Sass) Soft La France pink	20.00
8.9 Floweret of Eden (Neeley) Soft elusive pink	25.00
9.1 Francis Willard (Brand) Blush white	3.00
8.2 Francois Rosseau (Dessert) Lively velvet red	5.00
8.9 Georgiana Shaylor (Shaylor) Pale rose pink	5.00
8.6 Ginette (Dessert) Shell pink, shaded salmon	3.00
7.9 Gloire de Charles Gombault (Gombault)	
Mauve pink	1.00
9.2 Grace Loomis (Saunders) Clear white with golden tints	20.00
8.1 Grandiflora Nivea Plena (Lem.) Milk white	1.00
8.8 Grandiflora (Richardson) Late shell pink	1.50
8.2 Grover Cleveland (Terry) Dark crimson	1.50
8.8 Henry Avery (Brand) Light pink to flesh	7.00
Henry M. Vories (Vories) Delicate light pink	15.00
7.9 Jeanne d'Arc (Calot) Pale lilac rose	.75
9.2 Jeannot (Dessert) Flesh pink tinted lavender	10.00
8.9 Jubilee (Pleas) Ivory white	3.00
8.6 Judge Berry (Brand) Light pink	5.00
9.0 June Day (Franklin) Light flesh pink	12.00
8.8 Karl Rosenfield (Rosenfield) Dark crimson	1.50
9.0 Katherine Havemeyer (Thurlow) Soft shade lilac pink	20.00
9.8 Kelway's Glorious (Kelway) White	15.00
8.8 Kelway's Queen (Kelway) Light flesh pink	15.00
Kelway's Wild Rose (Kelway) Delicate pink	3.00
9.1 Lady Alexandra Duff (Kelway) Soft pink	4.00
9.0 La France (Lemoine) Light pink	5.00
Lake O' Silver (Franklin) Light pink	5.00
8.6 La Lorraine (Lemoine) Creamy white	5.00
8.5 La Perle (Crousse) Soft pink	1.00
7.5 La Tulipe (Calot) Light pink	.75

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8.8 Laura Dessert (Dessert) White with yellow center -----	7.00
9.9 Le Cygne (Lemoine) Ivory white -----	10.00
Lillian Gumm (Gumm) Apple blossom pink -----	10.00
8.1 Livingstone (Crousse) Pale lilac rose -----	1.00
9.0 Longfellow (Brand) Bright red -----	4.00
8.1 Lucy E. Hollis (Hollis) -----	3.00
9.0 Mabel L. Franklin (Franklin) Light pink --	7.50
7.3 Madam Bucquet (Dessert) Dark velvety red	1.00
7.9 Madam Ducl (Mechin) Rose pink -----	1.00
7.9 Madam de Verneville (Crousse) White ----	1.00
8.5 Madam Emile Galle (Crousse) Shell pink --	1.00
8.9 Madam Emile Lemoine (Lemoine) Milk white	1.50
7.7 Madam Forel (Crousse) Silvery pink -----	1.00
9.4 Madam Jules Dessert (Dessert) Pink -----	3.00
7.9 Madam Geissler (Crousse) Rose pink tipped silver -----	1.00
8.4 Marguerite Gerard (Crousse) Flesh pink	1.00
8.9 Marie Crousse (Crousse) Soft salmon pink	2.00
8.3 Marie Jacquin (Verdier) Rosy white ----	1.50
8.5 Marie Lemoine (Lemoine) Creamy white, late	1.00
9.1 Martha Bulloch (Brand) Soft rose pink ---	10.00
7.9 Mathilde de Roseneck (Crousse) Pale lilac rose -----	1.00
8.7 Mary Brand (Brand) Deep red -----	2.00
8.7 Mary P. King (Franklin) Splendid coral pink	5.00
9.0 Mary Woodbury Shaylor (Shaylor) Pink with cream center -----	10.00
7.3 Midnight (Brand) Dark maroon -----	1.00
8.7 Mignon (Lemoine) Light rose to amber cream -----	4.00
8.6 Mikado (Japanese) Red with yellow center	2.00
9.0 Milton Hill (Richardson) Flesh color -----	4.50
7.8 Miss Salway (Kelway) Lilac white -----	3.00
Mons. Chevreul (Dessert) Uniform violet rose	1.50
8.5 Mons. Dupont (Calot) White -----	1.00
9.2 Mons. Jules Elie (Crousse) Silvery pink	1.50
7.7 Mons. Krelage (Crousse) Solferino red	1.00
8.8 Mons. Martin Cahuzac (Dessert) Deep maroon -----	2.50
9.2 Mrs. C. S. Minot (Minot) Pale shell pink, center creamv white	15.00
9.3 Mrs. Edward Harding (Shaylor) French white -----	15.00
7.9 Mrs. Jennie R. Gowdy (Brand) Pinkish white, minutely flecked red -----	3.00
9.0 Nina Secor (Secor) Charming white ---	10.00
8.5 Onal (Pleas) Pink with opalescent tints	2.50
7.4 Old Silver tip (Brand) Madder red, tipped silver -----	1.00
Officinalis Rubra. Vivid crimson -----	1.50
Patagara (Franklin) Red -----	3.00
7.6 Pierre Dessert (Dessert) Dark crimson purple -----	1.00
9.2 Philippe Rivoire (Riviere) Dark crimson	12.50
7.7 Philomele (Calot) Cream with pink collar	1.00
9.0 Phyllis Kelway (Kelway) Pale pink ----	8.00
7.7 Pres. Roosevelt (Warnaar) Deep red	1.00
9.3 Pres. Wilson (ThurLOW) Shell pink, flesh tinted -----	35.00

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8.8 Phoebe Cary (Brand) Pink.....	6.00
8.6 Primevere (Lemoine) Creamy yellow.....	2.50
8.6 Red Bird (Franklin) Distinctive red.....	2.75
8.7 Reine Hortense (Calot) Soft flesh color.....	2.00
8.8 Richard Carvel (Brand) Best early red.....	4.00
9.0 Rosa Bonheur (Dessert) Soft flesh pink.....	4.00
8.8 Rosette (Dessert) Silvery flesh, shaded salmon .....	5.00
9.0 Sarah Bernhardt (Lemoine) Shell pink.....	2.00
8.6 Serene (Franklin) White .....	3.00
9.7 Solange (Lemoine) White, shaded darker in center. Distinct.....	5.00
7.6 Solfatare (Calot) White with creamy center	1.00
9.1 Souv. de Louis Bigot (Dessert) Salmon pink	4.00
7.7 Sully Prudhomme (Crousse)Hydrangea pink	1.50
8.5 Standard Bearer (Hollis)Uniform light pink	7.50
7.7 Susanne Dessert (Dessert) China pink.....	1.50
9.8 Therese (Dessert) Soft shell pink.....	4.00
9.4 Tourangelle (Dessert) Opalescent white.....	3.00
8.3 Venus (Kelway) Delicate shell pink .....	1.50
8.2 Victoire de la Marne (Dessert) Amaranth red with silver reflex.....	3.50
9.3 Walter Faxon (Richardson) Salmon pink	5.00
8.8 W. F. Christman (Franklin) Delicate pink	6.00
Yayoura (Japanese) Red and white, striped	3.50

We urge every reader of this list to join the American Peony Society and receive the bulletins sent out during the year. They will all be found of interest and assistance to you in choosing the best to be obtained in peonies. Write to W. F. Christman, Secretary of the American Peony Society, Robbinsdale, Minn. for full particulars.

## IRIS

Along with the early spring blooming perennials we find the Iris among the leaders. For a wide range in coloring, delicate combinations of color, airy bloom, combined with unusual hardiness, we find the Iris in the front rank. They multiply so rapidly under normal conditions that it is possible to have a large collection in a few years from a very modest beginning. If you are not now enjoying their beauty, try a liberal planting this season. Some of the improved varieties are marvelously beautiful.

We are showing the rating in the column preceding the name of the variety that will be of assistance in arriving at comparative values as to desirability. We are carrying some that are not rated high but which we feel possess more merit than the rating indicates.

As with the peony list preceding this we have made the descriptions exceedingly brief. More complete descriptions will be found in our descriptive catalog which has been received by most readers of this list. If you do not have a copy, we will gladly mail one on request.

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In planting Iris, the rhizome, or enlarged root, should be placed very near the surface of the ground. The soil should be firmly placed about the roots to hold the plant in place. Good drainage, frequent cultivation, fertile but not too enriched soil will produce the best Iris for you.

	Each
8.3 Afterglow. Misty lavender. _____	\$1.00
7.8 Amas. Standards rich blue; falls violet. ....	35c
7.7 Anne Leslie. Rose tinted standards and dahlia tinted falls. _____	\$1.00
7.4 Aurea. Chrome-yellow standards and falls. 25c	
7.2 Bluet. Of an appealing blue tone and neat habit. _____	\$1.00
7.5 Caprice. Rosy red standards and falls. Dependable, thrifty grower, very pleasing fragrance. _____	25c
Cecil Minturn. Uniform shade of cattleya-rose. Large dome shaped flower. Pink effect. ....	\$1.00
7.1 Celeste. Pale azure blue. _____	25c
7.4 Dr. Bernice. Standards bronze, falls crimson. A rich combination of colors. _____	25c
8.5 Dream. A pink pallida. Very popular. ..	\$2.00
8.6 Edouard Michel. Rosy red, somewhat similar to Caprice, but a larger and better flower. ....	50c
7.8 Eldorado. A blending of bronze, yellow and heliotrope. Distinct and pretty. _____	35c
8.0 Fairy. White suffused lilac blue. _____	25c
6.5 Gertrude. Falls and standards violet-blue. 25c	
7.6 Glory of Hillegom. Clear light blue. ....	35c
6.2 Hector. Standards clear lemon-yellow; falls rich brown plum. _____	25c
7.3 Her Majesty. Standards a light rose-pink; falls bright crimson. _____	25c
8.0 Jacquesiana. Standards bright coppery crimson; falls rich maroon. _____	25c
7.8 Jeanne d' Arc. White frilled lilac. ....	25c
8.0 Kathryn Fryer. Standards bright yellow; falls velvety maroon. _____	\$2.00
7.8 Kochi. Standards and falls rich claret purple. 25c	
8.5 Lady Foster. Standards pale blue; falls lavender violet. _____	\$1.00
8.3 La Niede. Cream white, chaste and beautiful. _____	\$1.00
9.0 Lent A. Williamson. Standards very broad lavender-violet; falls broad and drooping, velvety violet-purple. _____	\$1.00
7.3 Leonidas. Standards and falls rosy mauve. ..	25c
9.1 Lord of June. Standards of pale lavender; falls lavender violet. _____	\$1.00
7.9 Lorely. Standards lemon-yellow; falls ultra-marine blue, bordered cream. _____	25c
7.1 Mars. Violet purple self. _____	75c



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6.7	Mary Minanelli. White with faint tinge of lavender.	25c
7.5	Mithras. Standards light yellow; falls wine red.	35c
7.4	Mme. Chereau. White, elegantly frilled with a wide margin of blue.	25c
8.4	Monsignor. Standards rich satiny violet; falls velvety purple-crimson.	35c
	Mother of Pearl. A pale blueish-lavender flower of exceptional substance and a lustrous texture.	\$1.00
8.2	Mount Penn. Standards lavender-rose; falls crimson-lilac, deep orange beard.	50c
7.6	Mrs. Alan Gray. Delicate pale rose-mauve.	25c
6.8	Mrs. H. Darwin. Pure white, Falls slightly reticulated violet at the base.	25c
6.8	Mrs. Neubronner. Deep golden yellow.	25c
7.4	Navajo. Standards light bronzy yellow, shaded lavender; falls deep maroon.	25c
7.3	Nibelungen. Standards fawn yellow; falls violet-purple.	25c
8.7	Opera. Rich reddish-violet.	50c
6.8	Othello. Standards dark lavender; falls purple.	25c
8.8	Pallida Dalmatica. Standards lavender; falls clear, deep lavender.	35c
8.1	Parc de Neuilly. A rich purple self.	35c
7.5	Pauline. Standards and falls rich pansy violet.	50c
7.8	Perfection. Standards mottled light blue; falls dark velvety violet-black.	35c
8.3	Prosper Laugier. Standards fiery bronze; falls velvety purple.	50c
	Prospero. Standards pale lavender; falls rich deep violet-purple.	\$1.00
8.4	Quaker Lady. Standards lilac-mauve; falls deeper shade with old gold tinge.	50c
7.4	Queen of May. Standards and falls rose-lavender, almost pink.	25c
6.2	Rangoon. Standards mauve; falls red-purple.	35c
5.9	Rev. Wurtelle. Standards purple-bronze; falls rich, velvety royal purple.	50c
8.4	Rhein Nixe. Standards pure white; falls raspberry purple.	50c
6.9	Rose Unique. Standards and falls violet-rose.	50c
8.2	Roseway. Similar to Rose Unique but taller.	50c
8.3	Seminole. Standards soft violet-rose; falls rich velvety crimson.	75c
8.7	Shekinah. Pale yellow.	\$1.00
7.6	Sherwin-Wright. Standards and falls golden yellow.	50c
7.4	Tamerlan. Standards violet-purple, falls deeper in color.	25c

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8.0 Tom Tit. Deep self violet-blue. -----	\$1.00
6.5 Victorine. Standards white, sometimes mottled blue; falls violet-blue, mottled white. -----	25c
8.0 Viola <i>Grandiflora</i> . Standards rich blue, falls violet-blue. -----	25c
8.1 Virginia Moore. A tall yellow. -----	50c
7.3 Walhalla. Standards lavender; falls wine red. -----	25c
7.2 Wyomissing. Standards creamy white, shading to flesh. -----	25c
7.8 Zua. Standards and falls white, slightly tinged lilac. Ruffled and crimped like crepe paper. Very distinct. -----	50c

**BEARDLESS IRISES**

Dorothea K. Williamson. Large velvety flowers of vivid purple. -----	\$1.00
Mrs. Tait, <i>Spuria</i> . Soft porcelain blue with long, pale blue falls. -----	35c
<i>Pseudacorus</i> . Tall bright yellow. -----	25c
<i>Orientalis</i> . Dark blue flowers. -----	25c
<i>Orientalis</i> , Snow Queen. A pure white. -----	25c
<i>Orientalis</i> , True Blue. A beautiful blue form. -----	50c
<i>Siberian</i> . Small deep blue flowers with grass-like foliage. -----	15c
<i>Foliosa</i> . Beautiful blue flowers hidden down in the foliage on six inch stems. -----	25c



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